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Table 1: Economy		2004	2005	2006	2007
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter					
Unemployed persons	no	71	76	86	81
Unemployment rate	%	4.4	5.1	5.0	5.2
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June					
Non-taxable individuals	no	-	-	341	364
Taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	0.0	2.0
Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	5 633	5 901
Taxable individuals	no	-	-	1 078	1 022
Taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	35.1	39.2
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	35 553	39 329
Net tax	\$m	-	-	7.3	7.3
Average net tax	\$	-	-	6 800	7 131
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	19	19
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	no	-	-	1 419	1 376
Taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	45.1	41.6
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	28 264	29 266
SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS & ALLOWANCES - at 30 June					
Age Pension - Continual	no	253	243	240	237
Age Pension - DVA	no	18	16	16	16
Care Payment	no	16	16	16	16
Disability Support Pension	no	91	79	76	74
Age Allowance	no	54	56	56	54
Widow's Payment - Single	no	61	64	60	61
Youth Allowances	no	53	40	34	40
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	10	60.2	10	54.0
ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June					
Wage and salary earners	no	973	977	993	994
Wage and salary income	\$	28.2	28.2	28.6	28.5
Average wage and salary income	\$	26 022	28 843	30 148	30 686
Own unincorporated business earners	no	524	524	503	505
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	7.4	5.6	5.7	9.1
Average Own unincorporated business income	\$	14 080	10 796	11 340	18 010
Investment earners	no	672	681	698	745
Investment income	\$m	3.6	3.5	4.4	4.9
Average investment income	\$	4 491	5 198	6 297	6 406
Superannuation and annuity earners	no	26	26	26	32
Superannuation and annuity income	\$m	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4
Average Superannuation and annuity income	\$	12 824	13 990	14 740	13 896
Other income earners (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	no	90	109	111	95
Other income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2
Average other income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$	1 393	1 152	1 700	1 620
Total income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	37.0	37.9	41.2	46.2
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June					
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no	110	94	112	100
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no	188	114	110	103
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no	118	113	113	100
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no	118	121	121	114
Males - 55 years to 64 years	no	84	64	70	85
Males - 65 years and over	no	11	17	16	19
Males - Total	no	520	523	549	530
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no	70	75	70	80
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no	100	104	95	99
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no	100	109	100	118
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no	111	119	118	120
Females - 55 years to 64 years	no	34	39	40	50
Females - 65 years and over	no	9	6	5	7
Females - Total	no	452	454	448	462
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no	180	169	182	180
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no	200	218	205	192
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no	218	222	212	218
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no	239	240	239	234
Persons - 55 years to 64 years	no	98	103	110	135
Persons - 65 years and over	no	20	23	21	26
Persons - Total	no	972	977	994	992
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June					
Managers and Administrators	no	110	100	108	98
Professionals	no	112	112	121	124
Associate Professionals	no	49	48	49	55
Technicians and Related Workers	no	104	101	94	100
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no	29	22	19	22
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no	133	139	154	161
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no	68	72	71	80
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no	68	69	51	48
Labourers and Related Workers	no	263	299	262	267
Not Stated	no	43	55	47	47
Total wage and salary earners	no	973	978	991	997
ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 30 June					
Net worth per household	\$'000	437.5	-	-	-
Aggregate household net worth	\$m	484.4	-	-	-
Equivalent net worth	\$'000	290.8	-	-	-
Assets per household	\$'000	470.5	-	-	-
Liabilities per household	\$'000	33.0	-	-	-
Debt to asset ratio	%	7.0	-	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS					
Number of Businesses - at 30 June					
Non-employing businesses	no	171	159	168	171
Employing businesses 1 to 4 employees	no	90	99	96	100
Employing businesses 5 or more employees	no	16	16	16	16
Total businesses	no	359	358	357	372
Business Entries - year ended 30 June					
Non-employing business entries	no	42	12	21	24
Employing business entries	no	9	21	18	21
Total business entries	no	51	33	39	45
Business Exits - year ended 30 June					
Non-employing business exits	no	24	30	48	18
Employing business exits	no	8	0	24	12
Total business exits	no	32	30	72	30
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June					
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	no	207	198	228	221
Mining	no	3	3	3	3
Manufacturing	no	8	10	12	9
Electricity, gas and water supply	no	0	0	0	0
Construction	no	18	18	21	30
Wholesale trade	no	0	0	0	0
Retail trade	no	36	36	30	33
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no	19	18	17	12
Transport and storage	no	18	21	18	21
Communication services	no	8	3	0	0
Finance and insurance	no	3	3	3	3
Property and business services	no	12	12	18	18
Education	no	0	0	0	0
Health and community services	no	0	3	0	3
Cultural and recreational services	no	8	0	8	0
Personal and other services	no	5	3	5	3
Total businesses	no	539	538	597	572
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Table 2: Population and People

		2004	2005
ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	96	98
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	117	109
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	111	104
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	103	101
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	76	72
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	81	86
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	93	83
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	93	95
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	119	102
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	106	111
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	101	106
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	77	83
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	61	56
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	49	51
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	55	53
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	26	30
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	19	15
Males - 85 years and over	no.	9	11
Males - Total	no.	1 392	1 366
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	82	84
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	77	68
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	83	86
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	74	69
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	66	56
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	74	76
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	100	95
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	84	83
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	112	110
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	105	103
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	87	94
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	68	78
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	51	53
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	50	47
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	37	38
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	40	39
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	32	26
Females - 85 years and over	no.	13	18
Females - Total	no.	1 235	1 223
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	178	182
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	194	177
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	194	190

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	177	170
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	142	128
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	155	162
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	193	178
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	177	178
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	231	212
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	211	214
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	188	200
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	145	161
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	112	109
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	99	98
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	92	91
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	66	69
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	51	41
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	22	29
Persons - Total	no.	2 627	2 589

POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June

Population density	persons/km2	-	-
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ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006

Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-

SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Cer

Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-

OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006

Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-

HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006

Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-

FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006

Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-

INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006

Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006

Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006

Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-

UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006

Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-

ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006

Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-

BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December

Births	no.	39	46
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Total fertility rate	rate	2.3	2.5
Deaths	no.	24	26
Standardised death rate	rate	8.5	8.8

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2006	2007	2008
91	96	92
110	103	96
95	104	98
106	93	95
65	66	74
89	84	74
75	69	70
90	87	81
101	96	87
110	107	110
108	101	94
84	90	104
58	63	51
50	48	49
47	45	41
34	36	33
16	20	20
15	16	18
1 344	1 324	1 287
86	84	83
68	71	75
80	74	80
63	64	55
50	54	55
75	69	73
91	88	85
81	95	92
100	78	74
106	109	106
96	94	98
81	89	88
47	49	60
57	53	41
37	40	36
37	34	40
32	37	37
24	23	23
1 211	1 205	1 201
177	180	175
178	174	171
175	178	178

169	157	150
115	120	129
164	153	147
166	157	155
171	182	173
201	174	161
216	216	216
204	195	192
165	179	192
105	112	111
107	101	90
84	85	77
71	70	73
48	57	57
39	39	41
2 555	2 529	2 488

-	-	0.1
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7.0	-	-
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1.4	-	-
1.8	-	-
2.8	-	-
0.1	-	-
0.5	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.3	-	-
6.9	-	-

7.9	-	-
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0.2	-	-
0.6	-	-
4.4	-	-
3.9	-	-
12.5	-	-
14.2	-	-
35.8	-	-

27.8	-	-
9.0	-	-
11.7	-	-
8.4	-	-
8.2	-	-
4.1	-	-

10.9	-	-
16.7	-	-
3.2	-	-
246	-	-
22	-	-
634	-	-
902	-	-
229	-	-
48	-	-
267	-	-
60	-	-
26	-	-
7	-	-
637	-	-
2 008	-	-
264	-	-
1 454	-	-
637	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
88.0	-	-
12.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
49.8	-	-
18.8	-	-
31.4	-	-
33.8	-	-
21.8	-	-
7.3	-	-
0.6	-	-
12.4	-	-
29.4	-	-
16.1	-	-
1.1	-	-
46.5	-	-
31	35	38

2.6	2.5	2.4
27	23	19
10.2	9.8	8.6



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Table 3: Industry

		2004	2005
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June			
Private sector houses	no.	6	7
Total dwelling units	no.	6	11
Value of private sector houses	\$m	1.0	1.2
Value of new residential building	\$m	1.0	1.5
Value of total residential building	\$m	1.0	1.7
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	0.0	0.6
Value of total building	\$m	1.0	2.3
Average value of private sector houses	\$'000	159.1	172.0
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March			
Number by type of vehicle			
Passenger vehicles	no.	1 034	1 014
Campervans	no.	1	1
Light commercial vehicles	no.	647	631
Light rigid trucks	no.	8	11
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	64	62
Articulated trucks	no.	47	43
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	3	2
Buses	no.	21	22
Motorcycles	no.	32	36
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	1 859	1 824
Rate per 1,000 population			
Passenger vehicles	no.	394	392
Campervans	no.	0	0
Light commercial vehicles	no.	246	244
Light rigid trucks	no.	3	4
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	24	24
Articulated trucks	no.	18	17
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	1	1
Buses	no.	8	8
Motorcycles	no.	12	14
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	708	705
Age of vehicle			
Less than 5 years old	no.	483	466
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	529	516
10 years or older	no.	843	839
Number by type of fuel			
Petrol	no.	1 244	1 205

Diesel	no.	575	585
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	39	34

GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION * - year ended 30 June

Gross value of crops	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	\$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	\$m	-	-

AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June

Total area

Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-

Total number

Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS



2006	2007	2008
2	3	4
2	3	4
0.2	0.5	0.7
0.2	0.5	0.7
0.5	1.1	1.1
1.1	4.2	0.7
1.7	5.3	1.8
121.5	181.7	169.8
994	986	951
1	1	1
604	600	617
11	14	13
55	55	54
33	36	40
2	1	1
22	22	20
44	37	43
1 767	1 752	1 739
389	390	382
0	0	0
236	237	248
4	6	5
22	22	22
13	14	16
1	0	0
9	9	8
17	15	17
692	693	699
464	451	449
482	481	472
819	818	818
1 175	1 160	1 127

555	557	581
36	35	31
57.2	-	-
17.4	-	-
8.4	-	-
83.1	-	-
1 726 970.4	-	-
55 581.6	-	-
157.5	-	-
147.3	-	-
147.3	-	-
870.7	-	-
388 592	-	-
0	-	-
19 874	-	-
2	-	-

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Table 4: Environment and Energy

		2004	2005
LAND AREA			
Land area	km2	-	-
WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS			
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-	-
Total water use	ML	-	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-	-

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2006	2007	2008
-	-	21 699.9
1 727	-	-
8	-	-
42 863	-	-
1 675	-	-
44 538	-	-
0.5	-	-